

GIBBONS & BARNARD

Preces by Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)
Responses after the Creed by John Barnard (1591?-c.1650)

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THE PRECES

Original pitch: minor third lower.

MINISTER*

O Lord, o - pen thou our lips.

O God, make speed to save us.

ANSWER

S.
A.1 And our mouth shall shew forth thy praise.

A.2 And our mouth shall shew forth thy—praise.

T.
B.

and to the Ho - ly Ghost;

* The Minister's part may be sung in free rhythm. Some partbooks have F as the starting note whilst others have B flat.

and is now, and ev-er shall be:
 as it was in the be-gin - ning, and is now, and ev-er shall be:

world with - out end. A - men. Praise ye the Lord.
 world with-out end. A - men. Praise ye the Lord.
 world with-out end. A - men. Praise ye the Lord.
 world with - out end. A - men. Praise ye the Lord.
 world with-out end. A - men. Praise ye the Lord, the Lord.

THE CREED

I BELIEVE in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord, Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead, and buried: He descended into hell; The third day he rose again from the dead; He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty; From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead. I believe in the Holy Ghost; The holy Catholick Church; The Communion of Saints; The Forgiveness of sins; The Resurrection of the body, And the Life everlasting. Amen.

THE RESPONSES

The A2 part has been supplied by the editor.
 Original pitch: minor third lower.

MINISTER

The Lord be with you.

ANSWER

And with thy sp'rit.

And with thy sp'rit.

MINISTER

Let us pray.

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us.

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Lord, have mer - cy up - on us. Christ, have mer - cy up - on us.

Christ, have mer - cy up - on us.

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

Lord, have mer - cy up - on us.

up - on us.

Our Father,

which art in heaven, hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come, thy will be done, in earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive them that trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; but deliver us from evil.

[Editorial]

A - men.

MINISTER

O Lord, shew thy mer - cy up - on us.

ANSWER

And grant us thy sal - va - - ti - on.

And grant us thy sal - va - - ti - on.

And grant us thy sal - va - ti - on.

thy sal - va - - ti - on.

O Lord, save the King.

And mer-ci - ful - ly hear_ us when we call up - on thee.

And mer-ci - ful - ly hear_ us_ when we call_ up - on thee.

when we call up - on thee.

En - due thy Mi - ni - sters with right - eous - ness.

And make thy cho - sen peo - ple joy - ful.

And make thy cho - sen peo - ple joy - - ful.

And make thy cho - sen peo - ple_ joy - ful.

O Lord, save thy peo - ple.

in - he - ri - tance.

And bless thine in - he - ri - tance.

And bless thine in - he - ri - tance.

in - he - ri - tance.

in - he - ri - tance.

Give peace in our time, O Lord.

Be-cause there is none o-ther that fight-eth for us, but on - ly thou, O God.

Be-cause there is none o-ther that fight-eth for us, but on-ly thou, O God.

but on - ly thou, O God.

O God, make clean our hearts with - in us.

And take not thy Ho - ly Sp'rit from us.

And take not thy Ho - ly Sp'rit from us.

from us.

from us.

THE COLLECTS*

A - men, A - men.

I A - men. II A - men. III A - men, A - men.

A - men. A - men. A - men, A - men.

A - men. A - men. A - men, A - men.

A - men, A - men.

A - men, A - men.

A - men, A - men.

* Barnard provides only the first Amen, which can be sung after each collect if desired. The third Amen supplied here takes its music from 'The Lord's name be praised' in the other surviving set of Preces by Gibbons.